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## Department of Toxic Substances Control

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Berkeley, California 94710-2721



Arnold Schwarzenegger  
Governor

TO: Dow Chemical Co. / Pittsburg File

FROM: Sal Ciriello / Alejandro Galdamez

DATE: June 29, 2006

SUBJECT: Changes from Draft Permit to Final Permit

The following changes were made from the Draft Permit to the Final Permit

1. Deleted the word, "Draft" from the text "Draft Hazardous Waste Permit" throughout the Permit.
2. Page 1 – Cover Page
  - a. Inserted effective date of the Permit "July 31, 2006"
  - b. Inserted expiration date of the Permit, "July 30, 2016"
3. Page 4 – Part II, Section 4. Description
  - a. Deleted the word satellite from the 10<sup>th</sup> line.
4. Page 6 – Part III, Section 4. Waste Minimization Certification
  - a. Revised Health and Safety Code citation to section 25202.9 instead of section 25209.
5. Page 8 – Part IV, Section Physical Description
  - a. Revised text to remove "runon" and replaced with the word "rain".
6. Page 12 – Part IV, Section Air Emission Standards Containers
  - a. Revised the text title 22 citation from "Section 66264.1082(c)" to "Section 66264.1080(b)".
7. All Pages – Inserted "June 29, 2006" in header to reflect the date issued.

23 de Mayo de 2006

Mohinder S. Sandhu, P.E., Chief  
Permisos Estandarizados y Rama de Accion Correctiva  
700 Heinz Avenue  
Berkeley, California 94710

Una copia del expediente administrativo para esta decision sobre el permiso está disponible para ser revisada en:

Department de Substancias Toxicas (DTSC)  
700 Heinz Avenue, Suite 200  
Berkeley, California 94710  
Contacto: Lule Varela al (510) 540-3800 para una cita.

Copias del Permiso Final, Respuesta a Comentarios, Memorándum del DTSC listando las revisiones hechas al permiso en borrador y Noticia de Determinacion de CEQA, tambien estan disponibles para ser revisadas en la:

Biblioteca Publica de Pittsburg  
80 Power Ave  
Pittsburg, CA 94565  
(925) 427-8390

DTSC desea dar las gracias a todos los participantes en el proceso del permiso. Favor de enseñar este aviso a toda persona interesada en este tema. Si usted tiene preguntas, puede llamar a Alejandro Galdamez, al (510) 540-3933, o por correo electronico a [agaldame@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:agaldame@dtsc.ca.gov)

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Mohinder S. Sandhu, P.E.  
Jefe de la Rama del de Permisos Estandarizados y  
Acción Correctiva

6/29/2006.  
Día:

June 29, 2006

A copy of the complete administrative record for this permit decision is available for review at:

Department of Toxic Substances Control  
700 Heinz Avenue, Suite 200  
Berkeley, California 94710  
Contact: Ms. Lule Varela at (510) 540-3800 for an appointment

Copies of the Final Permit, Response to Comments, DTSC memorandum to file listing the revisions made to the Draft Permit, Final Negative Declaration and CEQA Notice of Determination are also available for review at:

Pittsburg Public Library  
80 Power Ave  
Pittsburg, CA 94565  
(925) 427-8390

These documents are also available at DTSC's website:

[http://www.dtsc.ca.gov/HazardousWaste/Hazardous\\_Waste\\_Facilities\\_Index.cfm](http://www.dtsc.ca.gov/HazardousWaste/Hazardous_Waste_Facilities_Index.cfm)

DTSC would like to thank everyone who participated in this permitting process. Please bring this notice to the attention of all persons whom you know would be interested in this matter. If you any questions, please contact Alejandro Galdamez of my staff at (510) 540-3933 or [agaldame@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:agaldame@dtsc.ca.gov)

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Mohinder S. Sandhu, P.E., Chief  
Standardized Permitting and Corrective Action Branch  
Hazardous Waste Management Program

6/29/06  
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Date:



**California Environmental Protection Agency  
Department of Toxic Substances Control**

**HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY PERMIT**

Facility Name: The Dow Chemical Company  
P.O. Box 1398  
901 Loveridge Road  
Pittsburg, CA 94565-1398

Owner Name: The Dow Chemical Company  
P.O. Box 1398  
901 Loveridge Road  
Pittsburg, CA 94565-1398

Operator Name: The Dow Chemical Company  
P.O. Box 1398  
901 Loveridge Road  
Pittsburg, CA 94565-1398

Permit Number: 06-BRK-02

Facility EPA ID Number: CAD 076528678

Effective Date: July 31, 2006

Expiration Date: July 30, 2016

Pursuant to Section 25200 of the California Health and Safety Code, this RCRA-equivalent Hazardous Waste Facility Permit is hereby issued to The Dow Chemical Company. The issuance of this Permit is subject to the conditions set forth in Attachment A and the Part "B" Permit Application (Operation Plan). The permit consists of a total of 19 pages including the cover page and Attachment "A".

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Mohinder S. Sandhu, P.E., Chief  
Standardized Permitting and Corrective Action  
Branch  
Department of Toxic Substances Control

Date June 29, 2006

**NOTICE OF DETERMINATION**

To: Office of Planning and Research  
State Clearinghouse  
P.O. Box 3044, 1400 Tenth Street, Room 212  
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

From: Department of Toxic Substances Control  
Hazardous Waste Management Program  
700 Heinz Avenue  
Berkeley, CA 94710

Subject: FILING OF NOTICE OF DETERMINATION IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 21108 OR 21152 OF THE  
PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE

Project Title: Issuance of a RCRA Hazardous Waste Facility Permit to Dow Chemical Company, Pittsburg for Block 560  
Drum Storage Area.

State Clearinghouse No.: 2006022097

Project Location: 901 Loveridge Road, Pittsburg, California 94565, Contra Costa County, 121 degrees 1'23" N latitude  
and 121 degrees 51'20" W longitude

County: Contra Costa

Project Description: The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has issued a permit renewal for the Dow  
Chemical Company. The Permit would authorize the continued operation of the Block 560 Drum Storage Area. The  
Block 560 Drum Storage Area will be permitted to store drums of hazardous waste for a period no longer than one year

As ☒ Lead Agency ☐ a Responsible Agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), DTSC approved  
the above-described project on June 29, 2006 and has made the following determinations:

1. The project ☐ will ☒ will not have a significant effect on the environment.
2. A ☒ Negative Declaration ☐ Mitigated Negative Declaration ☐ Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this  
project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures ☐ were ☒ were not made a condition of project approval
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan ☐ was ☒ was not adopted for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations ☐ was ☒ was not adopted for this project.
6. Findings ☒ were ☐ were not made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final environmental document, comments and responses, and the record of project approval are  
available to the public at the following location: [Address] [City], CA [Zip Code].

Alejandro Galdamez  
Contact Person Name

Hazardous Substance Engineer  
Contact Person Title

510-540-3933  
Phone #

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Branch Chief Signature

6/29/06  
Date

Mohinder Sandhu  
Branch Chief Name

Stand. Permitting and Corrective Action Branch  
Branch Chief Title

510-540-3974  
Phone #

**TO BE COMPLETED BY OPR ONLY**

Date Received For Filing and Posting at OPR:

**NEGATIVE DECLARATION**

Submitting: ☐ Draft  
☒ Final  
☐ Mitigated Negative Declaration

Project Title: Issuance of a RCRA Hazardous Waste Facility Permit to Dow Chemical Company, Pittsburg for Block 560 Drum Storage Area.

State Clearinghouse Number: 2006022097

Contact Person: Alejandro Galdamez Phone # (510) 540-3933

Project Location (Include County):

The Dow Chemical Company – Pittsburg Facility is located at 901 Loveridge Road, Pittsburg, California 94565, Contra Costa County, 121 degrees 1' 23" N latitude and 121 degrees 51' 20" W longitude.

Project Description:

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has issued a permit renewal to the Dow Chemical Company. The permit would authorize the continued operation of the Block 560 Drum Storage Area to store drums of hazardous waste for a period no longer than one year.

Findings of Significant Effect on Environment:

*DTSC has found the proposed project to have no significant effect on human health or the environment per the CEQA Initial Study attached.*

Mitigation Measures:

None Required

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DTSC Branch Chief Signature

6/29/06  
Date

Mohinder Sandhu  
DTSC Branch Chief Name

Standardized Permitting and Corrective Action  
DTSC Branch Chief Title

(510) 540-3974  
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